Remarks

As noted above, the Examiner contacted the Attorney for the Applicant on July 5, 2006 to discuss further changes required to the claims following an internal review of the application in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The changes that were either required or suggested, have been made to claims 1, 8 and 11. Claims 1, 8 and 11 having been further amended in response to the internal review communicated to the Applicants Attorney by telephone, the claims now pending in the application are claims 1-4, 6-11, 13, 14 and 39-50. Favorable consideration is respectfully submitted.

Also enclosed is a copy of a Supplemental Reissue Declaration as requested.

If any further changes or any further documents are required to obtain the allowance of the present application, the Applicants Attorney urges the Examiner to contact him by telephone. The Examiners consideration in this regard is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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